

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

LISTING OF CLAIMS:

1. (Original) A textile-reactive preparation comprising:
a durable-press resin capable of forming a covalent bond with a textile
and capable of imparting wrinkle-resistance to said textile, and
a resin-reactive modifier capable of imparting a soft hand and
tear/abrasion resistance to said textile, said resin-reactive
modifier comprising reactive groups capable of forming a
covalent bond with said durable-press resin.
2. (Original) A textile-reactive preparation according to Claim 1
wherein said resin-reactive modifier comprises reactive building blocks and rubbery
building blocks.
3. (Original) A textile-reactive preparation according to Claim 2
wherein said resin-reactive modifier comprises at least one hydroxyl reactive group
per molecule.
4. (Original) A textile-reactive preparation according to Claim 2
wherein said resin-reactive modifier is selected from the group consisting of
butadiene polymer and hydrogenated butadiene polymer comprising at least one
hydroxyl reactive group per molecule.
5. (Original) A textile-reactive preparation according to Claim 2
wherein said durable-press resin is DMDHEU.

6. (Withdrawn) A method for treating a textile comprising:
exposing a textile to an aqueous solution or suspension of a textile-reactive preparation comprising i) a durable-press resin capable of forming a covalent bond with said textile and capable of imparting wrinkle-resistance and tear/abrasion resistance to said textile, said resin-reactive modifier comprising reactive groups capable of forming a covalent bond with said durable-press resin, and optionally, iii) a catalyst;
removing said treated textile from the aqueous solution;
drying said treated textile; and
curing said treated textile;
to give a treated textile that exhibits durable wrinkle resistance, soft hand, and tear/abrasion resistance.

7. (Withdrawn) A method according to Claim 6 wherein said resin-reactive modifier comprises reactive building blocks and rubbery building blocks.

8. (Withdrawn) A method according to Claim 7 wherein said resin-reactive modifier comprises at least one hydroxyl reactive group per molecule.

9. (Withdrawn) A method according to Claim 7 wherein said resin-reactive modifier is selected from the group consisting of butadiene polymer and hydrogenated

10. (Withdrawn) A method according to Claim 7 wherein said durable-press resin is DMDHEU.

11. (Withdrawn) A treated textile prepared by the method comprising:

exposing a textile to an aqueous solution or suspension of a textile-reactive preparation comprising i) a durable-press resin capable of forming a covalent bond with said textile and capable of imparting wrinkle-resistance to said textile, ii) a resin-reactive modifier capable of imparting a soft hand and tear/abrasion resistance to said textile, said resin-reactive modifier comprising reactive groups capable of forming a covalent bond with said durable-press resin, and optionally, iii) a catalyst;

removing said treated textile from the aqueous solution;

drying said treated textile; and

curing said treated textile;

said treated textile having the characteristic of exhibiting durable wrinkle resistance, soft hand, and tear/abrasion resistance.

12. (Withdrawn) A treated textile according to Claim 11 wherein said resin-reactive modifier comprises reactive building blocks and rubbery building blocks.

13. (Withdrawn) A treated textile according to Claim 12 wherein said resin-reactive modifier comprises at least one hydroxyl reactive group per molecule.

14. (Withdrawn) A treated textile according to Claim 12 wherein said resin-reactive modifier is selected from the group consisting of butadiene polymer and hydrogenated butadiene polymer comprising at least one hydroxyl reactive group per molecule.

15. (Withdrawn) A treated textile according to Claim 12 wherein said durable-press resin is DMDHEU.

16. (Withdrawn) A resin-reactive modifier which comprises reactive groups capable of forming a covalent bond with a durable-press resin and which is capable of imparting a soft hand and tear/abrasion resistance to a textile.

17. (Withdrawn) A resin-reactive modifier according to Claim 16 which comprises reactive building blocks and rubbery building blocks.

18. (Withdrawn) A resin-reactive modifier according to Claim 17 which comprises at least one hydroxyl reactive group per molecule.

19. (Withdrawn) A resin-reactive modifier according to Claim 17 which is selected from the group consisting of butadiene polymer and hydrogenated butadiene polymer comprising at least one hydroxyl reactive group per molecule.